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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 22-0504
In re Application of Mark Ekem		
Application Number 10/058,602		Filed January 28, 2002
For Sheet Cutting Stand		
Group Art Unit 3724		Examiner Ashley, Boyer

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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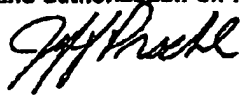
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